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## **EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – EXAMINING GROUP 2195**

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## **AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed October 31, 2007, please amend the application as follows:

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a three-month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from January 31, 2008 to April 30, 2008.